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**For:** EMBOLISM FILTER WITH SELF-DEPLOYABLE GUIDEWIRE STOP  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Further to the concurrent filing of the U.S. national stage of PCT Application No. PCT/IL2003/000144, kindly amend the application as indicated in the following pages prior to examination.